AHN-Arthur Henry, son of Henry and Sara Lang Kahn, Dec. 22, 1895, aged thireen months and seven days. Funeral nday, at 2 p. m. ALEXANDER-Joseph, Dec. 22, 8 a. m., aged eighty-three years four months. Funeral services at residence, 74 Lexington avenue, Dec. 23, at 2 p. m. Friends invited. Burial at Greenwood, Ind.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

MASONIC-Special meeting of Mystic Tie Lodge, No. 398, F. and A. M., in Masonic Temple, at 7:30 o'clock, this evening, for work in third degree. Visiting brethren will be cordially welcomed.
WILBUR F. BROWDER, W. M.
WILLIS D. ENGLE, Secretary.

LOST-A small black-and-tan dog, with llar, two small bells and check number 49; answers to name of Jack. Finder please return to 521 North Meridian street and receive reward.

FINANCIAL.

FINANCIAL-Hambletonian. LOANS-Money on mortgages. SAYLES, 75 East Market street. MONEY TO LOAN on Diamonds, Watches, Clothing, etc., at No. 149 East Washing-FINANCIAL-Large loans at 5 per cent. on business property. THOS. C. DAY & CO., 72 East Market street.

FINANCIAL-Mortgage loans. Six per cent. money; reasonable fees. C. S. WAR-BURTON, 26 Lombard Building. LOANS Money on watches, diamonds, jew-eiry, without publicity. CITY LOAN OFFICE, 57 West Washington street.

LOAN3-Sums of \$500 and over. City property and farms. COFFIN & CO., 90 East Market MONEY-To loan on Indiana farms. Low-

est rates, with partial payments, Address C. N. WILLIAMS & CO., Crawfordsville, Ind. MONEY TO LOAN-On farms at the lowest market rate; privileges for payment before due. We also buy municipal bonds. THOS. C. DAY & CO., 72 East Market street, Indianapolis.

WANTED-AGENTS. WANTED AGENTS-Hambletonian. WANTED-Salesmen to sell Tiger Brands Lubricating Oils and Greases. Liberal commissions paid. References. THE HOWARD OIL AND GREASE CO., Cleve-

WANTED-MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED-Printers wanted to lease department of daily paper in city of fif-teen thousand. Will lease plant, with type and machinery and furnish room, light, heat, power and good will at \$50 per month, payable every six months in advance, or quarterly in advance with lease secured. Business now between \$2,000 and \$2,000 annually. Splendid chance for printer with business ability. Address JOHN E. THOMAS, 37 West Vermont street, city.

BUSINESS CHANCE. BUSINESS CHANCE—A first-class business opportunity; \$700 worth of books, toys, stationery, fancy goods; agents Indiana papers. Address Box 213, Spencer, Ind. Cause bad health.

ANNOUNCEMENTS. ANNOUNCEMENT-How to become lawful physicians. Course by mail, ILL HEALTH UNIVERSITY, Chicago.

FOR RENT-Eight-room house, No. 563 East Market street. C. ZIMMERMAN.

MISCELLANEOUS MISCELLANEOUS-Hambletonian.

FOR SALE-Hambletonian.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS. State of Indiana, Marion County, 18. In the Superior Court of Marion County, in the State of Indiana. Elijah B. Martindale vs. William A. Ham-No. 51261. Complaint to foreclose mort-

Be it known, That on the 21st day of November, 1895, the above named plaintiff, by his attorney, filed in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Marion County, in the State of Indiana, his complaint against the above named defendants, and the said plaintiff having also filed in said clerk's office the affidavit of a competent person, showing that said defendant, Madge White Lang, has departed from the State of Indiana for the purpose of avoiding service of summons upon her; that said action is to foreclose a mortgage upon real estate situated in said State, and the defendant, Madge White Lang, is a necessary party thereto, and whereas said plaintiff having by indorsement on said complaint required said defendant to appear in said court, and answer or demur thereto, on the 13th day of February, 1896

Now, therefore, by order of said ourt, said defendant last above named is reby notified of the filing and pendency of said complaint against her, and that un-less she appear and answer or demur thereto, at the calling of said cause on the 13th day of February, 1896, the same being the tenth judicial day of a term of said court to be begun and held at the courthouse in the city of Indianapolis, on the first Mon-day in February, 1896, said complaint and the matters and things therein contained and alleged, will be heard and determined

JAMES W. FESLER, Clerk, Charles Martindale, Attorney for Plaintiff. THE POOR OF CENTER TOWNSHIP. Notice is hereby given that on or before 10 lock a, m., Thursday, Dec. 26, 1895, the ard of Commissioners of Marion county, diana, will receive sealed bids for furnishing for the year 1896 the best quality of Brazil block coal, free from dust, dirt and slack, in car lots, for the County Asylum for the Poor of said Marion county. Indiana, to be delivered on the Insane Hospital railroad switch, in Wayne township; and also for furnishing coal of like kind and quality for the poor of Center township of said county, to be delivered in such quantities and at such places as the trustees of

said township may direct. Said board reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to accept no bid unless accompanied by good and sufficient bonds.

By order of the Board of Commissioners Marion county, and State of Indiana. Witness my hand and the seal of said munty Commissioners, this 12th day of De-mber, 1896. HARRY B. SMITH, Auditor of Marion County, Indiana,

IN THE MATTER OF BIDS FOR STATIONERY, BLANKS AND PRINTING, FOR MARION COUNTY. totice is hereby given that on or before o'clock a. m., Tuesday, Dec. 24, 1895, the ard of Commissioners of Marion county, diana, will receive sealed bids for furshing books, stationery and other arties necessary for the use of said county, The period of one year from the 1st day

ecifications of the kind, quality and tity of the articles needed are on file in or's office of said county. board reserves the right to accer ids in part, and to reject any and all bids. either in part or as a whole.

Bidders must have and maintain a printing office and bindery in the city of Indi-By order of the Board of Commissioners of Marion county, and State of Indiana.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Commissioners, this 12th day of December, 1895.

HARRY B. SMITH,

Auditor of Marion County, Indiana, IN THE MATTER OF THE BURIAL OF THE POOR OF MARION COUNTY. Notice is hereby given that on or before o'clock a. m., on Thursday, Dec. 26, 1896. e Board of County Commissioners of n county, Indiana, will receive sealed bids for burying the poor of Marion county at the county asylum for the poor, accord-ing to the terms of the order made berein

said board, for the year 1896. Said board reserves the right to any and all bids, and to accept no bid un-less accompanied by good and sufficient order of the Board of Comers of Marion County and State of Witness my hand and the seal of said county Commissioners this 12th day of De-

HARRY B. SMITH, Auditor of Marion County. Office Board of Directors Indiana State Prison South ffersonville, Ind., Dec. 12, 1895. Sealed proposals for the hire of labor by the day of fifty (50) convicts will be received on Thursday, Jan. 2, 1896, at 10 o'clock a. m., contract to be let for two (2) or more years,

with the privilege of renewal, to the highps and warerooms will be furnished to bly work the convicts. The right is erved to reject any and all bids. For address all communications

TRAFFIC WAS HEAVY

OVER 26,000 FREIGHT CARS HAN-DLED BY LOCAL LINES LAST WEEK.

Railway Officials Surprised at the Increase-Live Stock, Produce and Coal Moving Freely.

The train reconds show that in the week ending Dec. 21 there were received and forwarded at Indianapolis 26,351 cars, 20,629 being loaded, an increase over the week ending Dec. 14 of 368 loaded cars; over the corresponding week of 1894 an increase of 2,526; over the corresponding week of 1893 the increase this year is 3,329 loaded cars. The heavy traffic of last week was in the nature of a surprise as it was thought the rainy weather would check business, and it did check the movement of corn somewhat, but this was not felt until the latter part of the week and was more than offset by the heavier movement of live stock, coal and produce. East-bound business is not as heavy as last month. There is more export business than last month in the way of provisions and flour, while but little cotton is now moving and less grain than last month. The shipments East of live stock and dressed meats continue heavy and largely in excess of any former year, and the local packing houses are shipping more provisions for export than in December, 1894. In the aggregate, the east-bound shipments are considerably in excess of the corresponding period last year. As usual after the first week in December, in the higher class freights the reaction set in. As for several weeks past in the lower class freights the tonnage is largely in excess of the corresponding period last year. The shipments of antibutile coal here. cite coal have been heavier for the reason that rates will be advanced 50 cents per ton after Jan. 1. The shipments of coke to Western manufacturers have again reached a large volume; the Panhandle alone is bringing in two hundred carloads of Pennsylvania coke a week. In local business there is no room for complaint As a rule, the local industries have been shipping a good deal of freight in the way of machinery, provisions and produce, and the cerealine mills and starch TAYLOR & SCHNEIDER-Formerly with in many years. The roads, in a local way, R. R. Miles, are now at 22 West Circle are handling considerable of the Indiana and Ohio coals, and holiday business has increased out-bound traffic considerably. Below is given the car movement for the

week ending Dec. 21, and for the corresponding weeks of 1894 and 1893: Name of road. Penn.—Chicago div ..... 683 Penn.—Columbus div .... 1,653 & E.-East div..... P. & E.-West div ...... 1,112 Big Four-Chicago div.... 3,111 Big Four-Cincinnati div. 2,823 Total movement ......26,331 23,546 21,506

Traffic Notes. The Indianapolis & Vincennes, last week, prought to this city 748 carloads of live stock, coal and grain. The four Pennsylvania lines handled, at Indianapolis, last week, but 3,326 loaded cars, against 4,114 in the week ending Dec.

The Monon, last week, handled, at this point, 688 cars, 504 being loaded. This is 101 fewer loaded cars than this road handled at this terminal in the week ending Dec. 14. The Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton, last week, handled, at this terminal, 916 cars, 723 being loaded. Just now there is no Indianapolis line which is more in need of empty cars than is the C., H. & D. The fifteen lines handled, at this point,

last week, 5,707 empty cars, against 5,712 in the week ending Dec. 14. It is evident from the empty car movement of the last two weeks that the car situation is easier. The Lake Erie & Western makes a more favorable exhibit for the week ending Dec. 21 than in the preceding week, handling, at Indianapolis, 486 loaded cars, an increase of 27. This road is still troubled to get cars to handle its business.

The Vandalia, last week, brought in 1,161, against 861 loaded cars forwarded West. Of the business brought in 15 cars were loaded with stock for this point. The Vandalia's east-bound business is at the maximum, while west-bound it is as light as it ever

The Peoria & Eastern, last week, handled, for both divisions, at Indianapolis, 1,923 loaded cars, which was 48 fewer than were handled at this point in the week preceding. There is business enough on the road if the company will furnish the cars, and that the Big Four does not do so is excit-

The Indiana, Decatur & Western began the week with prospects of doing the heavi-est business in its history, but the rain stopped the shipments of corn the last half of the week, and, as a consequence, the road handled, at this terminal, but 482 loaded cars. This, however, was an increase over the preceding week of 55 loaded cars. The Big Four lines proper, last week, did the largest business in their history, hav-ing had plenty of cars the first time this season. The four divisions handled, at this city, last week, 13,015 cars, and of that num-IN THE MATTER OF THE FURNISHING City, last week, 13,015 cars, and of that number 10,553 were loaded. This is the first time since the lines were consolidated that the loaded car movement has exceeded 10,000 cars. All divisions had a heavy movement, especially the Chicago and Bee-line divi-

Personal, Local and General Notes. A. J. O'Reilly, general agent of the Monon at this point, has gone to New Orleans to spend the holidays with his family. L. M. Hubby, who died at Cleveland on Friday, was formerly president of the Beeline. He was eighty-four years old. The Plant system will not accept tickets reading via the Florida Central & Peninsular over any portion of its route, or vice

Engine 86, which hauls the fast mail on the Pennsylvania lines, consisting of tent cars, on Friday ran twenty miles in nineteen minutes. The shipment of steel rails from Eastern colling mills to Western points are now said to be the heaviest at any time in the last five years.

The Panhandle will build a new station at London, O., similar to the one recently built at Piqua. The estimated cost of the station at London is \$10,000. J. L. Duvall, who for some years was a passenger conductor on the Panhandle lines,

was last week killed in a railroad wreck on the Cincinnati Southern. The Louisville, New Albany & Chicago earned in the second week of December 64,458, an increase of \$10,104. Since July 1, \$1,617,529, an increase of \$158,799.

Fred Adams, for several years rate clerk | gilt tops, are \$9. of the Central States Dispatch, has resigned, and on Jan. 1 will take a position with the Indiana Bicycle Company. B. L. Winchell, general passenger agent of the Union Pacific, Denver & Gulf, is advertising his line by sending turkeys as Christmas presents all over the country. A telegram has been received from F G. Darlington, superintendent of the In-dianapolis division of the Penhandle lines,

stating that he expected to be home to-Freight officials are of the opinion that the condition of the grain market is such that slight reduction in rates east-bound should be made in order to bring about a healthy

The Railway Review publishes cuts of the new stock car the Big Four has put into service on its lines, and makes very favorable comments on their size and general

The new rules which are the Pennsylvania standard have now been in force three months on the Vandalia lines, and ine trainmen are pleased with the workings under them.

M. B. Pratt, for thirty-five years a pas-senger conductor on the Cleveland & Pittsburg, has been appointed freight and passenger agent of the Pennsylvania lines at New Philadelphia. The London, Brighton & South Coast road of England has just placed a complete ves-tibuled Pullman train on its line, and the out and the most important ones connected J. B. Lippincott, & Co. English press is making favorable comments

regarding the equipment. Crestline, O., has become one of the most mportant division points on the Pittsburg. Fort Wayne & Chicago. A large number of crews stop there, and the repair shops

that point employ a large number of E. A. Ford, general passenger agent of By order of the BOARD OF DIRECTORS. the Pennsylvania lines west of Pittsburg. and the Vandalia, on Friday had all the assistant general and district passenger

agents together in Chicago. Mr. Ford com-plimented his lieutenants on the good work they had done in 1895, the revenue from passenger service of the lines having been highly satisfactory. A. M. Mozier, superintendent of signals on the N. Y., P. & O. division of the Erie lines, is introducing a new relay system, which is designed to reduce the cost and at the same time increase the efficiency of the tel-

egraph service. On Friday last forty carloads of mail and express matter were sent west from Pittsburg over the Panhandle and Pittsburg, Fort Wayne & Chicago lines. Eleven cars of express matter were sent west over the Panhandle.

Harry Drew, the moving spirit in the Chicago, Indiana & Eastern, has returned from New York. He says construction work will be resumed on the line early in the spring. Just now the money is not at command to proceed with the work.

T. C. Armstrong, of the Pennsylvania lines at Logansport, has a time table and book of rules which the Pennsylvania lines were operated under in 1864. He has sent them to Philadelphia to be used in compiling a history of the company. Rates on Pullman and Wagner cars all over the country must be reduced, say prominent railway officials, and a movement is already under way to bring about concerted action in the matter, not only reducing the rate for upper berths, but for long-distance

The Pennsylvania Company has adver-tised for bids for the reconstruction and widening of several of its tunnels, beginning with the smaller ones. The company wishes to build larger cars and locome tives, and the tunnels must be enlarged before such equipment can be used.

The Chicago & Southeastern offered to build shops at Brazil, providing a purse of \$20,000 is given the company, and enterpris-in citizens of Brazil are working up an interest in the matter and will probably ask that an election be held for the township to 70te on the question of giving such a The New York Car-service Association

A. H. Schnull & Co. have transformed the old Bee-line freight depot into a very respectable-looking tusiness house, its long platform being laden with goods, and it is fully as convenient for shipping goods as was the old establishment which was

burned. The arrangement, however, is but a temporary one. In Big Four circles it is thought that it is a question of but a short time when the Peorla & Eastern will be more closely identified with the Big Four system, not only works are receiving large quantities of tifled with the Big Four system, not only corn. At the stock yards and local packa clashing of interests on many questions of handling this property.

R. B. F. Peirce, receiver of the Toledo St. Louis & Kansas City, who was in To-ledo most of last week, returned yester-day, and will this week begin preparing to turn the Indiana, Decatur & Western, of which he is general manager, over to the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton peo-ple, who will take possession Jan. 1. Arrangements have been perfected at Cincinnati and contracts signed whereby Senator Brice's Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw railway secures an entrance into Cincinnati over Congressman Sorg's branch from Middletown to the Cincinnati, Lebanon & Northern and thence to Cincinnati. This obviates building a paralel line from Middletown to

## NEW PUBLICATIONS.

Mr. Benj. S. Parker's Latest Book. "Rhymes of Our Neighborhood." Benjamin S. Parker has issued a little volume of verse called "Rhymes of Our Neighborhood." The collection is made from work produced since the publication of his former books, "The Cabin in the Clearing" and "Hoosier Bards." It contains some poems which have appeared in the Journal, the Century Magazine and other periodicals, while a number are here printed for the first time. Among the former are several favorites which have gone the rounds of the newspapers only to reappear as some admirer sends them on their way anew. One of them is a cheery song, "The First Bluebird;" another, a "Song of Years." There are several longer poems written for special occasions, as the world's fair congress, the Western Association of Writers and Decoration day. It is not necessary to touch upon the merits of this Indiana writer's work. His reputation was long since established as a singer with a true, clear note. His heart is in his song, and it is because of this that he has found a public where others have failed. He unconsciously describes his own aim and method when he says:

There is a chord of music In every human heart That will respond to him whose touch Is tenderness in art.

And even thus, O poet! All nature and all art Bid thee to vitalize thy song With life blood from thy heart.

Nor heed the purblind critic, Who scorneth joy or grief And imprecates the line that breathes A single sweet belief.

However coldly perfect A soulless song may flow There is no second morn for it, No evening's afterglow."

The book, of which but a limited edition has been issued, is well printed and illustrated, and is for sale by the Bowen-Merrill Co. Price, \$1. Other New Books.

(From the Bowen-Merrill Company.) In continuation of their standard edition of the novels of Dumas, Messrs. Little, Brown & Co. have issued "Ascanio," "The War of Women," "Black, the Story of a Dog." and "Tales of the Caucasus." The scene of "Ascanio," the first story of the series, is France, although some chapters are devoted to Benvenuto Cellini's adventures in Italy; the period is the reign of Francis I. One of the leading historical characters is the famous Duchesse d'Etampes. "The War of Women" deals with events in the war of the Fronde, and the scene of the romance is Bordeaux. Among the principal historical personages introduced are the Princesse de Conde, Duc d'Epernon, Rochefoucauld, the Maximist, etc. In "Black, the Story of a Dog," the author chose a new field and a new theme. may well rank among his best works, though not strictly speaking an historical romance. The period is the earlier portion of the present century, cenes are laid in France and Taniti. From "fresh fields and pastures new" Dumas gathered the material of the two romances united under the title of "Tales of the Caucasus." The scenes and characters are as vividly Oriental as those of his historical novels are French. This edition of Dumas is in a style that makes it a very fine presentation book. The translations are highly commended, the type is beautiful, the pa-per fauitless, the size of the volumes convenient, and the frontispieces are artistic. The six volumes, in decorated cloth, with

"The British Barbarians," a novel Grant Allen, seems to be a burlesque of "The Woman Who Did," by the same author. The machinery of the story is clumsy and the humor heavy. The hero is brought out of the twenty-fifth century. He arrives mysteriously and finds everything quite wrong. Marriage, of course, is a deadly wrong, and so is property, and so are good manners and good English. The joke is that the twenty-fifth century man's ideas are really those of the primitive sayage. He shows his superiority, chiefly, of course, in making love to another man's wife, and when the husband comes up and objects, he calls him a miserable wretch who ought to see that at such a time and place it was his duty to "stop away." Then the husband shoots him, quite naturally, nd his body disappears in a thin colu of blue smoke and a perfume of violets. And the lady "walked on by herself, across the open moor, and through the purple heath, toward black despair and the trout ponds at Broughton." The style is flippant and the motive of the story not worth working out. Cloth, \$1; New York. G. P. Putnam's

"The Readers' Shakspeare," is a condensaion of Shakspeare's works into three medium-sized volumes, many passages being cut and emphasized by explanatory notes. The work is intended for use in schools, colleges and for private and public reading. In condensing the plays the editor, Professor Bell, of London, seems to have kept in view the prime necessities of expurgation and ompression, so that for the family circle, the clerical reader, the platform elocution-ist, and in the school or college the par-ticular advantages of Shaksperian exercises become, in this series, available and enjoy-

able for all. The connecting notes and narratives preserve the continuity of each play. The work will be in three volumes, the first of which contains the historical plays, the second will contain all the tragedies and romantic plays and the third all the comedies. Cloth, ornamental, \$1.50 per volume. New York: Funk & Wagnalls Com-

A large number of readers have found enjoyment in the works of "Josiah Allen's Wife' (Marietta Holley.) They possess broad humor and abound with shrewd comment and genuine good feeling. A new work by this author entitled "Samantha in Europe," is an amusing record of foreign travel. From the preface, in which Josiah and his spouse have a little "spat" about the book, to the last of its chapters, humor and pathos make the smiles chase one another over the face, while all the time wholesome moral reflections are making their impressions almost "unbeknownst" on the heart. Those who like homely wit and humor will find this book very entertaining. It is copiously and humorously illustrated by De Grimm. Sold only by subscription. Cloth, \$2.50. New York: Funk & Wagnalls Company. nalls Company.

Rather a heavy work for holiday reading, but not too heavy for perusal in more quiet hours, is "A Scientific Demonstration of the Future Life," by Thomas J. Hudson, author of "The Law of Psychic Phenomena." The present work carries to their legitimate conclusions some of the principles laid down in the one last named, and is a strictly scientific inquiry as to man's prospects for a future life. The author's final conclusion is that modern scientific induction reveals in every detail the fundamental doctrines of the Christian religion. Cloth, \$1.50. Chicago; A. C. Mc-Clurg & Co.

Senator Sherman's autobiography has already been noticed in the editorial columns, and copious extracts from it have appeared in the news columns of the Journal. The title of the work is "John Sherman's Recollections of Forty Years in the House, Senate and Cabinet." It contains Mr. Sherman's personal autobiography, as well as his recollections of political and public life. The two large volumes, flustrated with portraits, facsimile letters, etc., and handsomely bound in cloth, are \$7.50. Published by the Werner Company, Chicago.

A volume issued by J. Walter Thompson, advertising agent, New York, is worth examination by printers and advertisers for the specimens of artistic advertising it contains and for its attractive typographical features. It has celluloid covers of delicate tint and a general effect so pleasing as to interest those not especially concerned with its theme. It offers some new arguments on the seemingly threadbare story, and also contains over one hundred suggestions as to choice designs and methods of treatment of advertising.

"The Child's Garden of Song" is a collection of songs for children's singing classes. The songs, judiciously selected from the writings of different authors, are wholesome in sentiment and set to good music. Each song and every page is beautifully illustrated, giving the book attractions for the eye as well as the ear. The songs are selected and arranged by William L. Tomlins. The designs are by Ella Ricketts and the book is handsomely made up. Cloth, \$2. Chicago; A. C. McClurg & Co.

Persons who are not able to enjoy German poems in the original will find the spirit of them preserved in "Lyrics and Ballads of Heine, and other German Poets." The poems of Heine occupy more than half the volume and are followed by translations from Goethe, Geibel, Uhland and others. The work of translating is done by Frances Hellman, and each poem is accompanied by the first line of the original in German. The volume is prettily bound. Cloth, gilt

The publishers have not neglected the little folks this season. Among the pretty juveniles of recent issue are "Royal Little People," by Elizabeth S. Tucker. It consists of new pictures and stories in prose and verse about little kings and queens, little royal princes and princesses, and little royal boys with their royal plays and royal toys. The pictures are bright and pretty and the stories well adapted for children. New York: Frederick A. Stokes

Dodd, Mead & Co. publish "Our Common Speech," by Gilbert M. Tucker. It consists of six papers on topies connected with the proper use of the English language, the changes which that tongue is undergoing on both sides of the sea, and the labors of lexicographers to explain the meaning of the words of which it is composed. It is a helpful book for all who are anxious to speak or write correct English. Cloth, \$1.25.

Mrs. Laura E. Richards, whose "Captain January" and "Melody" have delighted a large circle of appreciative readers, has published a new volume, containing two stories, "Jim, of the Hellas," and "Bethesda Pool." The stories are both quite short, deal with quaint phases of New England provincial life, and are told in a style the author has made peculiarly her own. Cloth, 50 cents. Boston: Estes & Lauriat.

A book of interest to all having charge of the education of chudren is "Youthful Eccentricities, a Precursor of Crime," by Dr. Forbes Winslow, an expert neuropath. Many having care of the young are careless through ignorance, and think that as the child grows older it will outgrow its perverse eccentricities. This book shows the fallacy of that theory. Cloth, 50 cents. New York: Funk & Wagnalls Company.

Lovers of nature and out-door life will find pleasant reading in "Idyllists of the Country Side," by George H. Ellwanger. It contains six essays on the character and works of Isaac Walton, Gilbert White, Thoreau, Burroughs and other writers sympathetic with nature. The essays are written and presem old subjects. Cloth, \$1.25. New York:

Dodd, Mead & Co. -A nice book for children of the proper age and intelligence to appreciate is "Stories and Poems by Children," by Celia Thaxter. It is not a picture book, the only illustration being a pretty frontis-piece. The stories are of the best class and the verses full of good sentiment well expressed, Cloth, ornamental, gilt top, \$1.50. Boston: Houghton, Mifflin & Co.

"Victor Hugo's Letters to His Wife" consists of letters written during travels among the Alps and Pyrenees, and which are not found in any English edition of the author's works. They are, in a sense, autobiographic, and include also many descriptions of scenery and incidents of travel. Cloth, \$1.50. Boston: Estes & Lauriat.

"The Story of Rosina and Other Verses," by Austin Dobson, is a fairly successful attempt to tell an old-fashioned love story in the form of ballad verse. The principal poem, as well as the "other verses," are bright and wittily expressed, and the illustrations by Thomson are exceptionally good. Cloth, ornamental, gilt top, \$2. Dodd, Mead & Co. -

"My Honey," by the author of "Miss Toosey's Mission," etc., is a simple story of everyday English life, wholesome in sentiment and with enough harmless romance in it to suit young girl readers.

(From Cathcart, Cleland & Co.) The Frederick A. Stokes Company, noted its artistic publications, sends out three handsomely decorated calendars. The footlights calendar consists of twelve large cards, on each of which is represented a footlights beauty in gay costame. Another, "the belles," similar in style, shows twelve types of society maidens. The price of each of these calendars is \$1.50. The pansy calendar, price \$1.25, is beautidecorated with the flower named From the same house comes an illustrated book on cats and kittens. It has numerous full-page color plates after water color de-signs by Frederick J. Borton; also, decorative borders and other designs, together with stories and verses by Elizabeth S. Tucker. Price, \$1.50. "The Enchanted Butterflies" is an illustrated fairy tale issued in attractive and dainty form, the cover with a design of butterflies and violets being itself a work of art. Price, \$1.25.

Other Books Received. "Zoraida," a novel, by William Le Queux llustrated. Cloth, \$1.25. New York: Frederick A. Stokes & Co. "Herbert Van Cennert;" a novel, by C. F. Keary, author of "A Marriage de Con-venance," etc. Cloth, \$1.25. Philadelphia:

Trouble Ahead. Kansas City Journal. It is said the Rev. Joseph Cooke has broken down physically and mentally. This will naturally create uneasiness as to how the world will manage to keep going.

Have your grocer send you some of Huyler's Cocoa and Chocolates with your next order. Once tried, always used.

NEWS IN SUNDAY'S JOURNAL. Resume of Principal Events Printed

in the Issue of Dec. 22. Speaker Reed announced his committees. London reported a better feeling in financial circles. President Cleveland will declare Utah a

State Jan. 4. Four persons were suffocated by smoke in a fire in Philadelphia. John W. Luke, chairman of the Iowa railroad commission, is dead. Emperor William consulted Bismarck upon the Eastern and Socialist questions.

John L. Peak, of Kansas City, Mo., was confirmed as minister to Switzerland. A character, known as "Jack, the Spitter," is greatly annoying the citizens of Mascoutah, Ill.

Four men, who attempted to capture seven Mexican robbers at Morence, A. T., Mrs. John Farris, a descendant of Pres-dent Monroe, is to be married in London to E. J. Bratalor.

Two persons were killed and several injured in a head-end collision in a Phila-delphia suburb. Taylor & Co., of Philadelphia, went to the wall on account of the panic and one house in Boston failed. Rev. A. C. Garrett was elected bishop of the new Dallas diocese of the Episcopal

Church in Texas. Barnett Brown, a negro, was lynched by negroes near Wrightsville, Ark., for living with another man's wife. Admiral Selfridge has been instructed to take American citizens on board his war ship to protect them from the Turks.

The House ways and means committee considered the President's financial message informally, but arrived at no decision. Two women fought with pistols at Louis-ville, Ky. Neither was hit, but a third woman was probably fatally wounded. The two hundred and seventy-fifth anniversary of the landing of the Pilgrims was observed at Plymouth, Mass., and other The dealings on the Stock Exchange at New York aggregated for the week about 2,500,000 shares, and Friday alone was nearly

1,000,000 shares. Indianapolis.

Meuser & Co. will add a beef packing plant to their pork house. The American Plate-glass Company has issued \$200,000 in bonds, to enlarge its plant. Judge Bartholomew gives an important de-cision affecting payment of Barrett bond in-Governor Matthews has pardoned Joseph

of 1893, respecting the assessment of ex-

Wagner, of South Bend, and Thomas Don-lan, of Madison.

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British Politicians Not Disturbed. LONDON, Dec. 21.-No excitement has been manifested here in political circles over the Venezuelan complications, although their effect has been felt on the

Stock Exchange. There has been some unloading of American securities, but the Cabinet Ministers are all enjoying the Christmas holidays in the country, and, outside the utterances of the newspapers, there is nothing to indicate that war is aprehended. Of course, the strained relations between Great Britain and the United States have been uppermost in the public mind, especially during the latter part of the week, and the matter, which was at first treated lightly, is now more deeply discussed, and there are indications that the gravity of the affair is now fully grasped by the people at large.

A striking fact is that, without a single exception, if the utterances of the press

and those of the representative men who have spoken on the subject can be relied upon, the whole country stands solidly behind the Marquis of Salisbury, as the United States is understood to stand solidly behind President Cleveland. But, it should be added, it has been remarked in some quarters that the Marquis of Salisbury might very well have omitted the passage in his reply to the note of Secretary Olney which has been looked upon as questioning Secre-tary Oiney's interpretation of the principle of the Monroe doctrine. Public opinion here, in spite of any statements to the contrary certainly supports the general idea of the Monroe doctrine. It is not the doctrine itself which is resented in Great Britain, but claim is made that it does not apply to the Venezuelan dispute as it stands. This seems to be the whole of the British contention and as, according to cabled reports published here, there is some such belief in the United States, it is confidently expected in the best informed quarters that an amicable arrangement will be arrangement. an amicable arrangement will be arrived at which will avert further financial troubles, to say nothing of a disastrous war between the two great English-speaking na-

tions of the earth. In addition to the financial disorder which has been the first feature of the trouble, there is one phase of the reception of the war scare here which deserves especial attention, not only in England, but in the United States. The alarming reports circulated by the agricultural party have been seized on as a justification for the demands which they have recently made to which they have recently made on the government for a change in the policy of Great Britain from free trade to protection. Mr. James Lowther, M. P., leader of the protection party, indicates this in a pointed letter is safer to remain slient on the subject, printed in the Times and showing the grave condition in which Great Britain would be if her food supplies from America were stopped. Mr. Lowther points out that 50 per cent. of the British food imports come from the United States, and he, therefore, asks that British agriculture be protected, in order to make this country as independent as possible of American food supplies.

Fears are expressed that the war scare will materially assist this agitation for prowill materially assist this agitation for protection against American food imports, although the Statist (newspaper) to-day gives utterance to a grave warning to the public not to be frightened into supporting import duties on wheat. In spite of such warning, however, there is little doubt that the agitation here in favor of protection has been and will be further greatly strengthened by the bellicose utterances on both sides of the Atlantic, and, with a strong Conservative

government in omce, it is the neasure for the protection and fostering of British husbandry is not unlikely to be introduced shortly and to become law in due General Lawrie, formerly a member of the Canadian House of Commons, who arrived in London during the early part of the week, said during the course of an interview on the sensational report in circulation that while he firmly believed that President Cleveland's message to Congress on the Venezuelan qustion was only an "electioneering kite," it must be recognized that there is a very large amount of "inflammable material in the United States, to which President Cleveland has

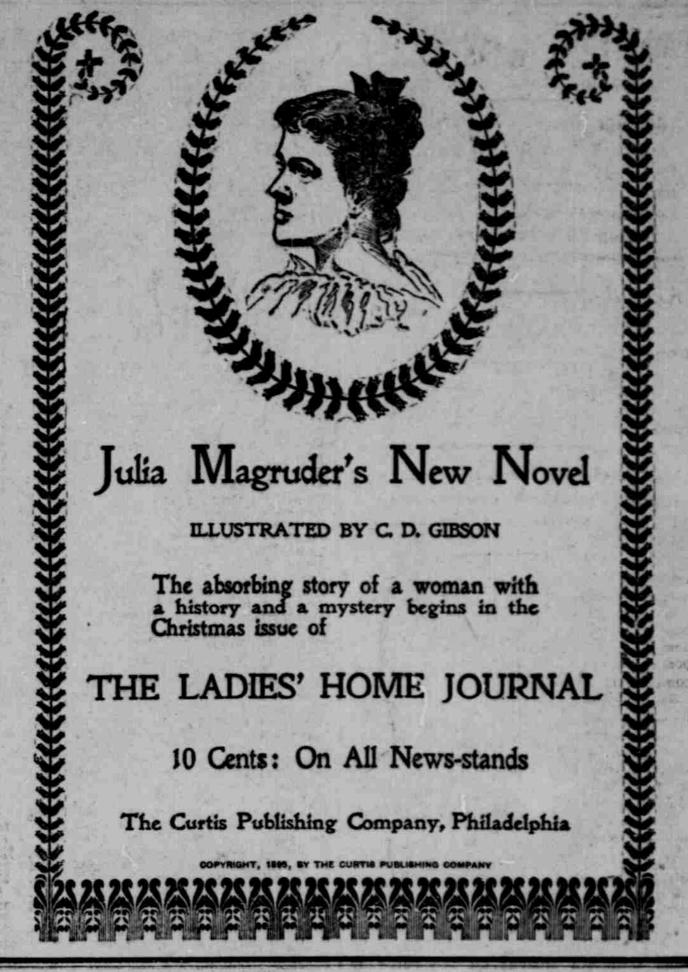
applied a match and which, at any mo-ment, might get beyond his control." Con-tinuing, General Lawrie remarked: "There s, therefore, a very serious risk of certain hotheads on the frontier attacking what they cordially hated-the British flag. So far as Canada is concerned the chief danger lies in a small party of these jingoes crossing the frontier in a moment of excitement and insulting the flag in a way to at once call for reprisals." Excitement in Venezuela.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21 .- The World to-morrow will publish the following copyrighted cable from Caracas, Venezuela: The anti-English feeling is increasing here. Fresh flowers are placed daily on the statue of Washington and the American and Venezuelan flags are everywhere to be seen, either displayed side by side or entwined in significant embrace with the portraits of Washington and Monroe between. Another mass meeting was held on the Plaza Bolivar this morning, at which were heard the cries: "Abajo los Engleses!" (Down with the English.) "Vivi Cleveland y los Estados Unidos." (Long live Cleveland and the United States.) demonstration of all the citizens is planned to take place on Christmas day under the auspices of the Simon Bolivar Club. Invitations have been given to the President of the republic, the Cabinet and clergy and the United States minister. The American residents of Caracas will then return the honor paid to their Nation on the tributes offered to Washington by decorating the statue of Bolivar, the libera-

The patriotic society for the defense of Venezuelan territory has issued a protest against the pretension and aggressions of England. It also requests the Minister of Foreign Affairs to remove the exequaturs of Venezuelan citizens who are acting as British consuls in this country unless they resign immediately. In Laguayra the enthusiasm has led to the forming of battalions, ready for serv-

The honors paid to the American minis-ter continue. The archbishop and the clergy of Caracas called on him to-day to express their thanks and those of the people to he United States for the stand taken by President Cleveland Venezuela is sending diplomatic missions to every foreign country. The country applauds the action of the government and the nation is united.

Opinions of French Bankers. PARIS, Dec. 21.—A representative of the Associated Press has had interviews with the principal importers of gold from America, including the house of Allard, Hirsch, Lazard & Lazard, and the Comptoir d'Escompte and Credit Lyonnaise, with the view of obtaining their opinion upon the financial situation in the United States. The substance of their remarks is that it depends entirely upon the action of Congress.





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62 & 64 West Maryland Street Snow Steam Pumps, Mill Supplies. If Congress does nothing they claim the situation will, unavoidably, become serious. and, in any case, they add, the remedy must come from within. In conclusion, they join in saying that, under the circumstances, it

settled by arbitration and express satisfac-tion at the fact that this timely diversion will prevent Great Britain from further embroiling the situation in the East. Gordon Pledges Ex-Confederates... duties on wheat. In spite of such warning, however, there is little doubt that the agitation here in favor of protection has been and will be further greatly strengthened by the bellicose utterances on both sides of the Atlantic, and, with a strong Conservative government in office, it is thought that some cost were received with enthusiastic cheers. one who knows what war means.' said General Gordon, "will speak on this matter without deep thought and grave deliberation. However, as a representative of the South, and as the present commanderin-chief of the Confederate veterans, I consider myself safe in saying that if war should come again the boys who wore the gray, old as they are now, would come to the front once more and their old rebel yell would be heard beyond the Canadian

> fore the cheering subsided sufficiently to allow the speaker to proceed. A large de-tachment of the First Illinois Infantry was in the audience and the members greeted General Gordon's patriotic utterances with First Blood for Uncle Sam.

HAMMOND, Ind., Dec. 21.—The first battle f the war between the United States and England on account of President Cleveland's message, occurred on an east-bound pas-senger train on the Nickle-plate railroad this afternoon, and, after a hard fight, resulted in a victory for Uncle Sam. The fight was between John Simpson, a subject of Queen Victoria, living in Toronto, Canada, and William Smithers, a traveling man for a Philadelphia dry goods house. The two men met in the train at Chicago and took seats in the smoking car. Soon after the train left the station they struck up a conversation, which finally turned on the subject of the message. Each man took up the side of his country, and the conversait resulted in a fight. The other passengers crowded around the belligerents, but took no hand and when it terminated with a complete victory for Smithers a cheer went up that could be heard far above the roar of the train. A telegram was sent ahead for a physician, and when the train arrived here it was delayed nearly half an hour while the doctor dressed the wounds of the

For Peace and Harmony. HAMMOND, Ind., Dec. 21.-A. F. Knotts, of this city, announced this afternoon that he had withdrawn from the race for chairmanship of the Tenth district Republican central committee. When seen to-night Mr. Knotts said: "I considered this the pest course in the interest of peace and harmony. When I announced myself as a candidate I had received assurance from the leading Republicans of this and Porter counties that I would have no opposition in this locality, but since then certain par-ties have seen fit to bring out a candidate in this county against me, and rather than have any discensions in the party I have decided to withdraw my name. I want to say, however, that in withdrawing I have made no pledges to any one, but am for the best man for the position."

This will leave the following candidates in the field: George B. Haywood, of Lafayette; T. J. McCoy, of Rensselaer, and A. Murray Turner, of this city. It is thought by many here that Mr. Turner will also by many here that Mr. Turner will also withdraw his name, now that Mr. Knotts

Fifty Millions Lost. PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 21.—Philadelphia nas had its full share of the disastrous depression of the past week. This was a never to be forgotten day in banking

ruined and one brokerage house suc-cumbed-L. H. Taylor & Co. The failure involves a number of speculators who op-erated through the firm. No statement of assets and liabilities can be obtained, but the figures are large both ways. It is now believed the firm will resume. The loss dur ing the week on stocks exclusively listed by the Philadelphia Exchange is estimated at nearly \$50,000,000.

Wallace on the Turkish Question. CINCINNATI, Dec. 21.—The Commercial Gazette will to-morrow print an interview with Gen. Lew Wallace, late minister to Turkey, on the Eastern question. General Wallace says the real reason why the great powers of Europe hesitate in front of Constantinople is a dread of precipitating a conflict which all who know Islamism menians would aid Russia and the result would be to make Russia master of the

East, if not of Constantinople, English Officers Returning Home. NEW YORK, Dec. 21 .- The Cunard steamship Campania, which sailed for Liverpool to-day, had in addition to her one hundred passengers in the saloon about an equa number of persons who had engaged passage on the St. Paul, of the American line, but who, owing to the explosion on the latter ship on Wednesday morning, were transferred to the Cunarder. It was regarded as a significant matter by those who pretend to know that a majority of the passengers on the Campania to-day were English army officers on leave, some of them with unexpired leaves of absence still to their credit.

Among them were Captain J. F. Allen, Captain W. G. Benditch, W. J. Earles, Captain W. Simpson

Wiley Barr Captured. ELWOOD, Ind., Dec. 21.—Deputy Sheriff Dean, of this city, captured Wiley Barr near Lapel and brought him to this city en route for Marion to-night. Barr is wanted for forging a note on his eighty-year-old grandmother, Mrs. Lanterbach, for \$128.66. He has served time for torgery three or four years ago. The note is held by David James, of Gas City; and came due Nov. 26. He told Sheriff Dean he had sent the note to his grandmother to sign and it was returned signed, but afterwards she denied it. He was taken to Marion to-

French Sympathy with Us. PARIS, Dec. 21.—The Eclair to-day de-nies that French sympathles are with England in the Venezuelan dispute, saying that on the contrary they are with the United States, adding that if "England's power and prestige are lessened, nothing

yould be more to the advantage 5,000 Cavalry Horses Offered. SPOKANE, Wash., Dec. 21.-C. I. Smith, one of the largest stockmen in Lincoln county, to-day telegraphed President Cleveland that he would furnish the

government 5,000 cavalry horses free of charge in case of war with England. For Dyspepsia Use Horsford's Acid Phosphate.

Dr. H. Van Ostrand, Albion, Mich., says: 'A valuable addition to our list of remedies

